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First sign of Spring:



When I went into the barn this morning at about 8:30 A.M., temperature outside 9 degrees Fahrenheit, there was a Common Starling in with the chickens. I can't imagine how it got in, but there it was.

Starlings don't winter here, and this bird is probably a male who is making an early return here to find and claim a nesting site for a female when they get back.

